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For : METHOD FOR TRANSMITTING DATA STREAM VIA WIRELESS  
MEDIUM ACROSS A WIRELESS NETWORK AND A WIRELESS  
NETWORK

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international examination with respect to the documents cited therein. The following is a list of the documents cited in the above-noted documents:

International Standard ISO/IEC 8802.11: 1999 : ANSI/IEEE Std 802.11, 1999 Edition- "Part 11: Wireless LAN Medium Control (MAC) and (PHY) Specifications. Applicants note that this document is cited on page 1 of the specification of the above-captioned application;

International Patent Publication No. WO 88/02959, together with patent family member U.S. Patent No. 4,907,224;

International Patent Publication No. WO 02/063806, together with patent family member U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0105970;

U.S. Patent No. 5,677,909; and

International Patent Publication No. WO 02/37754, together with patent family member U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0163933.

Copies of the above-noted foreign documents except for *International Standard ISO/IEC 8802.11: 1999 : ANSI/IEEE Std 802.11, 1999 Edition- "Part 11: Wireless LAN Medium Control (MAC) and (PHY) Specifications*, which is not presently available, are enclosed together with a duly completed Form PTO-1449. In accordance with the current rules for the submission of prior art documents, copies of the U.S. patents and the U.S. patent application publication are not enclosed. However, all of the documents are listed on an attached PTO-1449 Form. Further, copies of all of the documents (except for the ISO publication) should have been forwarded to the U.S. Patent and Trademark

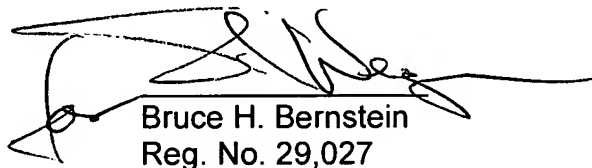
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Applicants note that an Office Action on the merits has not issued in the present application, and thus, no fee is believed necessary to ensure consideration of the submitted material.

Should there be any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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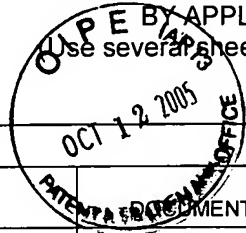
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## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	1	International Standard ISO/IEC 8802.11: 1999 : ANSI/IEEE Std 802.11, 1999 Edition- "Part 11: Wireless LAN Medium Control (MAC) and (PHY) Specifications.

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